

Senate Resolution 1075

By: Senator Tate of the 38th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Roswell O. Sutton; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Roswell O. Sutton has long been recognized by the citizens of Atlanta for the
3 vital role that he has played in leadership and his deep personal commitment to the welfare
4 of the citizens of Georgia; and

5 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted innumerable hours of his time,
6 talents, and energy toward the betterment of his community and state as evidenced
7 dramatically by his 85 years of service with careers at Citizens Trust Bank, Paschal
8 Enterprises, Paschal's Concession, Inc., and Dobbs-Paschal Midfield Corporation; and

9 WHEREAS, his significant organizational and leadership talents, his remarkable patience
10 and diplomacy, his keen vision, and his sensitivity to the needs of the citizens of his
11 community have earned him the respect and admiration of his colleagues and associates; and

12 WHEREAS, he is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
13 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness; and

14 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentleman served his country in the United States Army, and
15 after an honorable discharge, re-enlistment, and retirement, he transferred to the Retired
16 Army Reserve; and

17 WHEREAS, Mr. Sutton serves on the board of directors of numerous organizations, holds
18 memberships with many civic, charitable, and philanthropic groups, and has been a member
19 of Friendship Baptist Church for 67 years; and

20 WHEREAS, he is a loving husband to his wife, Luel, and proud and doting father,
21 grandfather, and great-grandfather, and it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding
22 accomplishments of this remarkable and distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
2 commend Roswell O. Sutton for his over eight decades of efficient, effective, unselfish, and
3 dedicated public service and extend him the most sincere best wishes for continued health
4 and happiness.

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
6 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Roswell O. Sutton.